

INPUTS and CONSTANTS

Red and Bonita Mine Bulkhead: 2/10/2015

Tunnel Height (h_t)	7 ft
Tunnel Width (w_t)	5 ft
Bulkhead Height (h_b)	10 ft
Bulkhead Width (w_b)	7 ft
Design water head (H)	704 ft
Bulkhead Trial Thickness (L_T)	15 ft
Water density (γ_w)	62.4 pcf
Overburden rock density (γ_r)	165 pcf
Concrete Density (γ_c)	151 pcf
Concrete Compressive Strength (f_c)	3,000 psi
Acceptable bulkhead pressure gradient (p_{ag})	41 psi/ft
Bulkhead depth below surface (B_w)	203 ft
Slope Angle of Topography (β)	37
Accoustical velocity of water (c')	4,748 ft/s @50°F
Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA)	0.185 g
Gravity Acceleration (g)	32.2 ft/sec ²
Seed & Idriss Constant (SI)	1.8044 (ft/sec)/g From Seed and Idriss
Seismic Design Handbook Constant (SDH)	2 (ft/sec)/g From Seismic Design
Beam Unit Width (b)	1 ft
Inby Line-of-Site Water Distance (S_{ls})	125 ft
Rebar Yield Strength (f_y)	60,000 psi
Minimum Rebar Cover (m_c)	3.5 in
Rock Cover Factor of Safety (F_{RC})	1.1 Range 1.1-1.3 (Based on Bergh-C
Fluid Static Load Factor (ϕ_{fs})	1.4
Concrete Flexural Strength Reduction Factor (ϕ_{pc})	0.55
Earthquake Static Fluid Load Acceleration Factor (ϕ_{fe})	1.05
Earthquake Impounded Fluid Load Acceleration Factor (ϕ_{ea})	1.40
Reinforced Concrete Flexural Strength Reduction Factor (ϕ_{rc})	0.90
Rebar Flexural Strenth Reduction Factor (ϕ_{rt})	0.90

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Water Hammer

Approach based on "Permanent Sealing of Tunnels to Retain Tail

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Calculation:

Max Earthquake Acceleration (α)	$\alpha = \text{PGA} * g =$	5.957 ft/sec ²	
Max Velocity SI (v_{\max})	$v_{\max} = \text{SI} * \text{PGA} =$	0.33381 ft/s	Seed and Idriss
Max Velocity SI (v_{\max})	$v_{\max} = \text{SDH} * \text{PGA} =$	0.37 ft/s	Seismic Design Ha
Water Hammer Pressure (P_H)	$P_H = c' * v_{\max} * \gamma_w =$	109,622 lb	Used SDH
Factored Water Hammer Pressure (P'_H)	$P'_H = P_H * \phi_{fe} =$	115,103 lb	

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Hydrofrac

Inputs:

Design water head (H)	704 ft
Water density (γ_w)	62.4 pcf
Overburden rock density (γ_r)	165 pcf
Acceptable bulkhead pressure gradient (p_{ag})	41 psi/ft
Bulkhead depth below surface (B_w)	203 ft
Rock Cover Factor of Safety (F_{RC})	1.1
Slope Angle of Topography (β)	37 degrees

Calculations:

Maximum Hydraulic Pressure Head (p)	$p = H\gamma_w/144 =$	305.1 psi
Minimum Rock Cover Required: Hydrofrac (Z) (Abel Method)	$Z = 144p/2\gamma_r =$	133.1 ft
Minimum Rock Cover Required: Hydrojack (Z) (Norwegian Tunnel Method)	$Z = H\gamma_w F/\gamma_r \cos\beta =$	366.7 ft
Minimum contact grout pressure (σ_{mingp})	$\sigma_{mingp} = B_w \gamma_w/144 =$	88.0 psi
Maximum contact grout pressure (σ_{maxgp})	$\sigma_{maxgp} = 2B_w \gamma_r/144 =$	465.2 psi
Maximum contact grout pressure (σ_{mingp})	$\sigma_{maxgp} = 2B_w \gamma_r \cos\beta/144 F_{RC} =$	168.9 psi
Required bulkhead thickness for pressure gradient (L_{hp})	$L_{hp} = p/p_{ag} =$	7.4 ft

Punching Shear Design

Inputs:

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Concrete Compressive Strength (f_c)	3,000 psi
Bulkhead Height (h_b)	10 ft
Bulkhead Width (w_b)	7 ft
Design Head (H)	704 ft
Water Density (γ_w)	62.4 pcf
Fluid Static Load Factor (ϕ_{fs})	1.4
Factored Water Hammer Pressure (P'_H)	115,103 lb (Calculated from Water Hammer Tab)

Calculations:

Concrete Shear Strength (f_{cs})	$f_{cs} = 2 * f_c^{1/2} =$	109.5 psi
Static Fluid Load on Bulkhead Face (F_s)	$F_s = H * \gamma_w * h_b * w_b =$	3,075,072 lb
Factored Static Fluid Load on Bulkhead (F'_s)	$F'_s = F_s * \phi_{fs} =$	4,305,101 lb
Length of Bulkhead Required for Shear (L_s)	$L_s = F'_s / (2 * (h_b + w_b) * f_{cs} * 144)$	8.03 ft

Earthquake Consideration (Water Hammer):

Length of Bulkhead Required (L_s)	$L_s = (F'_s + P'_H) / (2 * (h_b + w_b) * f_{cs} * 144)$	8.24 ft
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Plain Concrete Deep Beam Bending Stress

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Concrete Compressive Strength (f_c)	3,000 psi
Bulkhead Height (h_b)	10 ft
Bulkhead Width (w_b)	7 ft
Tunnel Height (h_t)	7 ft
Tunnel Width (w_t)	5 ft
Design Head (H)	704 ft
Inby Line-of-Site Water Distance (S_b)	125 ft
Water Density (γ_w)	62.4 pcf
Concrete Density (γ_c)	151 pcf
Bulkhead Trial Thickness (L_x)	15 ft

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Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA)	0.185 g
Fluid Static Load Factor (ϕ_{fs})	1.4
Concrete Flexural Strength Reduction Factor (ϕ_{fc})	0.55
Earthquake Static Fluid Load Acceleration Factor (ϕ_{sa})	1.05
Earthquake Impounded Fluid Load Acceleration Factor (ϕ_{ia})	1.40
Beam Unit Width (b)	1 ft
Static Fluid Load on Bulkhead Face (F_s)	3,075,072 lb (Calculated from Punching Shea
Factored Static Fluid Load On Bulkhead Face (F'_s)	4,305,101 lb (Calculated from Punching Shea
Factored Water Hammer Pressure (P'_w)	115,103 lb (Calculated from Water Hamme

Calculations:

Deep Beam Verification	$w_b/L_x =$	0.5 Deep Beam
Uniform Static Fluid Load on Face (F_s)	$F_s = F'_s/(h_b * w_b) =$	61,501 psf
Maximum Nominal Bending Moment (M_n)	$M_n = F'_s * w_b^2/8 =$	376,696 ft-lb (F'_s load per unit length w/ 1ft beam width)
Factored Nominal Bending Moment (M'_u)	$M'_u = M_n/\phi_{fc} =$	684,902 ft-lb
Concrete Flexural (tensile) Design Stress (f_{ct})	$f_{ct} = 3 * f'_c^{1/2} =$	164.3 psi
Plain Concrete Beam Bulkhead Length (L_{bl})	$L_{bl} = (6 * M'_u/b * f_{ct})^{1/2} =$	13.2 ft

Considering Earthquake (Water Hammer):

Factored Earthquake Load on Face (U'_s)	$U'_s = F'_s + P'_w =$	4,420,204 lb
Uniform Static Fluid Load on Face (u'_s)	$u'_s = U'_s/(h_b * w_b) =$	63,146 psf
Maximum Nominal Bending Moment (M_n)	$M_n = u'_s * w_b^2/8 =$	386,768 ft-lb (u'_s load per unit length w/ 1ft beam width)
Factored Nominal Bending Moment (M'_u)	$M'_u = M_n/\phi_{fc} =$	703,214 ft-lb
Concrete Flexural (tensile) Design Stress (f_{ct})	$f_{ct} = 3 * f'_c^{1/2} =$	164.3 psi
Plain Concrete Beam Bulkhead Length (L_{bl})	$L_{bl} = (6 * M'_u/b * f_{ct})^{1/2} =$	13.4 ft

Considering Earthquake (Abel Method):

Factored Earthquake Accelerated Static Fluid Load (E_{sa})	$E_{sa} = F'_s * \phi_{sa} =$	3,228,826 lb
Factored Earthquake Accelerated Line-of-Sight Fluid Load (E_{sla})	$E_{sla} = S_b * \gamma_w * h_t * w_t * \text{PGA} * \phi_{sa} =$	70,707 lb
Factored Earthquake Bulkhead Load (E_{blm})	$E_{blm} = L_{bl} * \gamma_c * h_b * w_b * \text{PGA} * \phi_{sa} =$	41,064.45 lb
Factored Earthquake Load on Face (U'_s)	$U'_s = E_{sa} + E_{sla} + E_{blm} =$	3,340,597 lb
Uniform Static Fluid Load on Face (u'_s)	$u'_s = U'_s/(h_b * w_b) =$	47,723 psf
Maximum Nominal Bending Moment (M_n)	$M_n = u'_s * w_b^2/8 =$	292,302 ft-lb (u'_s load per unit length w/ 1ft beam width)
Factored Nominal Bending Moment (M'_u)	$M'_u = M_n/\phi_{fc} =$	531,459 ft-lb
Concrete Flexural (tensile) Design Stress (f_{ct})	$f_{ct} = 3 * f'_c^{1/2} =$	164.3 psi
Plain Concrete Beam Bulkhead Length (L_{bl})	$L_{bl} = (6 * M'_u/b * f_{ct})^{1/2} =$	11.6 ft

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Reinforced Concrete Deep Beam Bending Design:

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Reinforced Concrete Flexural Strength Reduction Factor (ϕ_{rc})	0.90
Rebar Flexural Strength Reduction Factor (ϕ_{rt})	0.90
Concrete Compressive Strength (f_c)	3,000 psi
Beam Unit Width (b)	1 ft
Rebar Yield Strength (f_y)	60,000 psi
Maximum Nominal Bending Moment (M_n)	386,768 ft-lb (Plain Concrete Deep Be
Bulkhead Trial Thickness (L_T)	15 ft
Minimum Rebar Cover (m_c)	3.5 in

Calculations:

Compressive Force (C)	$C = \phi_{rc} * f_c * b * a =$	32,400 a (psi)
Tensile Force (T)	$T = A_s * f_y =$	60,000 A_s (psi)
Minimum Concrete Depth to Balance Rebar (a)	$a =$	1.852 A_s (psi)
Factored Bending Moment (M'_u)	$M'_u = M_n / \phi_{rt} =$	429,742 ft-lb
Factored Bending Moment (M'_u)	$M'_u = M_n / \phi_{rt} =$	5,156,904 in-lb
Maximum Rebar Cover (d)	$d = 12 * L_T - m_c =$	176.5 in

$$C_1 A_s^2 - C_2 A_s d + M'_u = 0$$

$$C_1 = f_y * a / 2 = 55,556$$

$$C_2 = f_y * d = -10,590,000$$

$$C_3 = M'_u = 5,156,904$$

$$\text{Area of Steel Required } (A_s) \quad A_s = (-C_2 - (C_2^2 - 4 * C_1 * C_3)^{1/2}) / 2 * C_1 = 0.488 \text{ in}^2/\text{ft}$$

Bar Size (#)	9 (enter value)
Spacing (C-C)	9 in (enter value)
Area of Steel (A_s)	1.33 in ² /ft

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